



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Karri Ranta-aho, et al

Attorney Docket No.: 944-005.021

Application No.: 10/648,778

Group No.: To be assigned

Filed: Aug. 25, 2003

Examiner: To be assigned

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR NODE B CONTROLLED SCHEDULING IN SOFT
HANDOVER

Director of the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith references of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which they may have a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

While this Information Disclosure Statement may be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, it is not intended to constitute an admission that any document referred to herein is "prior art" for this invention unless specifically designated as such.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(g), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined under 37 CFR 1.56(a) exists.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being
deposited with the United States Postal Service
on the date shown below with sufficient postage
as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Jodie Droniak 11/20/03
Jodie Droniak Date

The information disclosure statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application or date of entry into the national stage of an international application or before the mailing of a first Office action on the merits, whichever occurs last and so the undersigned respectfully submits that no fee is due for filing this IDS. Should any fees be due of which the undersigned is unaware, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account 23-0442 any fee deficiency required to submit this IDS.

A PTO-1449 with cited references is enclosed.


Respectfully submitted,

Date: Nov. 19, 2003

Reg. No.: 41,266

Telephone No.: (203) 261-1234

Customer No.: 004955



James A. Retter
Ware, Fressola, Van Der Sluys &
Adolphson LLP
Bradford Green, Building Five
755 Main Street, P.O. Box 224
Monroe, CT 06468



Sheet 1 of 1

**FORM PTO-1449
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**ATTY DOCKET NO.
944-005.021SERIAL NO.
10/648,778

APPLICANTS: Karri Ranta-aho, et al

FILING DATE:
Aug. 25, 2003

ART UNIT: To be assigned

UNITED STATES PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAM. INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	ISSUE/PUBL DATE	INVENTOR/ASSIGNEE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	INVENTOR/ASSIGNEE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES/NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)

		3rd Generation Partnership Project; Technical Specification Group Radio Access Network; Physical Layer procedures (FDD) (Release 5); 3GPP TS 25.214, V5.5.0 (2003-06); June 2003.

Examiner

Date: